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TIME TABLE
Effective Sept. 9, 1928

EASTBOUND

Daily Daily Sun.
A. M. ex. Sun. only
P. M. P. M.

Island Pond 5:15 2:05 2:50

Bethel 7:02 3:43 4:28

Thedford 7:44 4:26 5:05

Albion (W. Bethel) 7:54 4:30 5:15

BETHEL 8:01 4:42 5:27

Leake's Mill 8:10 4:53 5:37

Bryant's Pond 8:19 5:00 5:44

Bates (W. Park) 8:35 5:12 5:55

South Park 8:55 5:28 6:12

Dave's Jet 10:05 6:45 6:50

Portland 11:05 7:15 7:50

WESTBOUND

Daily Sun. Daily
ex. Sun. only
A. M. A. M.

Portland 7:15 7:50 8:25

Dave's Jet 8:11 8:11 8:39

South Park 8:22 8:22 8:50

Bates (W. Park) 8:29 8:29 8:57

Leake's Mill 8:36 8:36 9:04

BETHEL 8:42 8:42 9:10

Albion (W. Bethel) 10:01 9:46 9:51

Thedford 10:14 9:50 9:55

Bethel 11:05 10:41 10:41

Island Pond 12:29 12:29 12:29

**Mr. Business
Man**

WHY not make your appeal for patronage through the columns of this newspaper? With every issue it carries its message into the homes of all the best people of this community. Don't blame the people for flocking to the store of your competitor. Tell them what you have to sell and if your prices are right you can get the business.



1. Mexican federalists in charge to drive rebels out of Torreon. 2. President Hoover's three secretaries, George Akerson, Lawrence Kirby and Walter Newton. 3. Henry L. Blinn, new secretary of state, and his wife arriving in Washington.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Hoover Will Give Jobs Only to Those Who Prove Their Fitness.

A RIGID scrutiny of all applicants for federal appointments is to be the policy of the present administration. President Hoover has announced in no uncertain terms that in the future every applicant for office in the government service must demonstrate his fitness for the job. His first move in this direction is the reorganization of the present Republican organizations in Mississippi, North Carolina and Georgia, on the grounds of irresponsibility and corruption and the demand that they be replaced by Republican leaders possessing integrity and the confidence of their communities. In Texas, Alabama, Florida and some other states, where the existing leadership has fallen into disrepute, the President announced that these leaders would be compelled to divide authority with advisory committees acceptable to the administration.

The President's action is based on the report of the Brookhart committee of the senate which made an investigation into the sale of federal appointments and other political corruption in that region.

This important announcement by the President was brought out by questions at the press conference at the White House. He said: "Recent exposure of abuse in recommendations for federal office, particularly in some parts of the states of North Carolina, Georgia and Mississippi, under which some of the federal departments, mainly the post office, were misled in appointments, obviously render it impossible for the old organizations in those states to command the confidence of the administration, although many members of these organizations are not subject to criticism. But such conditions are intolerable to public service, are repugnant to the ideals and purposes of the Republican party, are unjust to the people of the South and must be ended."

"The duty of reorganization, so as to correct these conditions, rests with the people of those states, and all efforts to that end will receive the hearty cooperation of the administration. If these three states are unable to initiate such organization through the leadership of men who will command confidence and protect the public service, the different federal departments will be compelled to adopt other methods to secure advice as to the selection of federal employees."

"In other states, including Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas and Florida, the Republican leadership has in recent times shown increasing strength and is now rendering able and conscientious service in maintaining wholesome organization, under whose advice the appointments to public office have steadily improved and commended themselves to the citizens of those states with increased confidence in the party."

A VENITABLE earthquake hit the stock market early in the week when rail money went skyward. The first jump to 14 per cent caused a first-class money scare in Wall Street. Stocks came roaring down with a crash. Frightened traders sold for any price they could get, almost denigrating the market. There was no sustained support, the rich men's stocks giving the most ground and the standard ledger crumbling along with the good and the bad.

When rail money later reached 20 per cent, the highest since 1920, reserves, prices and bank accounts went smash. Odd lot dealers and the heavy plungers dumped their holdings overboard when they could no longer wait for the rally which came, but came too late. The market never was so violent. Later, when bargain hunters, investment trusts and institutions began buying, prices began the upward swing and recovered some of the ground lost.

Toward the end of the week the

bulls recovered control of the market when assurances came that the money panic was not to be continued. Money eased to 15 per cent and was in adequate supply. New York banks kept the market unhampered as to any stringency in funds. The National City bank sent \$25,000,000 over to the exchange to be loaned at rates from 10 to 20 per cent. J. P. Morgan sent over \$10,000,000. This brought some cheer to the situation. Short covering got under way and prices reacted buoyantly.

Under the urging of the federal reserve board the stragglers about the credit supply have for some time been drawing tighter and tighter. It is the plan of the board to bring about a diversion of the country's money from speculative markets to normal channels of business. Should the week's mammoth liquidation serve its purpose, bankers anticipate a gradual relaxation of the purse strings.

One result of the market upset was that several houses sent out notices to their customers that hereafter all margins would be 50 per cent. Brokerage firms admitted that if the federal reserve policy was continued and if the banks persisted in refusing to accept all kinds of securities and continued marking down the loaning rates, all margins in the street would have to be 50 per cent to ease the strain on the brokers.

THE arrival in Washington of Henry L. Blinn, former governor general of the Philippines, to take up his new duties as secretary of state, completed President Hoover's cabinet. Secretary Blinn immediately plunged into the work of familiarizing himself with pending problems and the duties of the office. Former Secretary Kellogg remained with him for a few days to give what assistance was necessary. The new secretary of state finds himself confronted with several matters of high importance such as American participation in the arms party at Geneva, the Mexican revolution, American adherence to the World Court on the basis of the Root substitute for the senate's reservations, the German reparations question, and necessary changes in the diplomatic corps.

PRESIDENT HOOVER has appointed Col. Henry L. Gilchrist, medical corps, to succeed Maj. Gen. Angus E. Fries as chief of the chief of staff, and Col. Stephen C. Fuqua to succeed Maj. Gen. Robert H. Allen as chief of the chief of staff, and General Allen, whose term of office has expired, will revert to their regular rank of colonel, but both will be eligible to retirement as major general on application or because of age limit.

The appointments of Colonels Gilchrist and Fuqua, who will rank as major generals during their four-year terms, was in accordance with the rotation policy adopted, but not of ways followed, during the last administration, and which was inferred as "rotated" and to the interests of good administration by Secretary of War Good.

A SOUTHERN airplane disaster has taken its toll of those who venture in the air. A pilot and three passengers were killed when the Ryan biplane to which they were flying from Columbia to New York crashed into a tree in a dense fog on South Mountain between Colbrook and Mount Gretna, Pa. Witnesses said that when the plane hit the tree it wobbled then rose slightly, turned over on its side, and crashed into the dense thicket. All of the men were dead when workmen from the Pennsylvania National Guard encampment grounds nearby reached the scene. It is believed the pilot lost his way in the fog and was trying to get his bearings over the military reservation when the accident happened.

THE preliminary work of the reparations commission in Paris has been completed and the conference has settled down to a discussion of the actual problem of figures. Their man Owen D. Young said: "The work of the committee has reached a point where we must consider figures before proceeding further in order to

fit them into the scheme already written down. The only problem facing us is the number of annuities and the amount each year."

It is generally admitted that the total indemnity will be in the neighborhood of ten billions of dollars, but it remains to be figured out at the present value through the discount rate over the number of years it runs. The Germans stand out for 27 years and the French insist on 58 years.

REPUBLICAN members of the house committee on agriculture, which is conducting hearings on the farm relief problem, are said to be almost unanimous in their approval of President Hoover's farm relief program. All the Republican members of the house committee as well as the members of the senate committee, which is also conducting hearings, have conferred with the President and have been acquainted privately with his general views on the farm relief legislation should take.

THE Europa, pride of the German merchant marine, worth about \$12,000,000, was completely gutted by fire. The building of the ship had taken about 18 months of patient night and day labor and was practically finished. Owing to the large quantities of paint, tar, oil and other inflammable materials aboard, the firemen found themselves up against a hopeless task in fighting the flames. An overheated plumber's stove was believed to have caused the conflagration.

THE Mexican revolution is slowly disintegrating. The army of Gen. P. Elias Calles continues its relentless plodding northward. Jimenez, former headquarters of the rebel commander-in-chief, Gen. Jose Gonzalo Escobar, has been occupied by the federal forces. The rebels abandoned the place on the approach of the federal troops.

The town of Douglas, Ariz., has got in bad because of the revolution. Charges that two city-owned machine guns and 37,000 rounds of ammunition had been sold to the Mexican rebels for \$250,000 and that the city received only \$500 of the money precipitated an investigation of the whole city administration by the United States Department of Justice. Several city officials were arrested and later released under bonds pending trial on charges of conspiring to smuggle arms across the border.

THE Radio Corporation of America has sold its communication interests to the International Telegraph and Telephone company, receiving stock equivalent to \$100,000,000. The deal makes I. T. & T. the largest international communications system in the world and apparently leaves Radio Corporation as a manufacturing and distributing company for radio apparatus, phonographs and talking films, divorcing it completely from communication enterprises.

TORNADOES and rains have added to the horrors the South has had to endure lately. Taking stock of the damage while floods still raged in some sections it was found that 45 lives were the toll taken by the two elements in six states. The greatest loss of life was in Tennessee, where 20 lives were lost at Harriman, seven at Rockwood and three at Webster. Four of the deaths were in Kentucky. With the exception of Tennessee and Kentucky, where major streams were rising, conditions were improving over the South.

Along the upper Mississippi the river continues to rise slowly. Police and militia are on guard at the danger spots to protect the property of those who have been forced from their homes by the flood.

A COMIC opera revolt which broke out in the principality of Monaco lasted all of 25 minutes and left the country completely paralyzed for the most of a day. A band of 600 determined citizens marched to the castle of Prince Louis and forced him under pain of abdication to rescind the decrees which have recently turned the tiny principality into a hotbed of unrest. The most important decree that Louis was forced to repeal was that for the cancellation of the municipal elections. The citizens celebrated their victory by spending the rest of the day in a cafe.

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Solomon Westleigh late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
THOMAS E. WESTLEIGH,
March 21st, 1929. West Bethel, Maine 51

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Bertha May Peaslee late of Upton in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
SILAS F. PRASLEE,
March 21, 1929 Upton, Maine 52

THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Charles L. Tyner, President
Harold V. Smith, Secretary

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928
Real Estate, \$167,120.52
Stocks and Bonds, 10,537,050.00
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,110,921.92
Agents' Balances, 984,785.25
Interest and Rents, 116,616.60

Gross Assets, \$12,946,433.69

Admitted, \$12,946,433.69

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928
Net Unpaid Losses, \$620,445.00
Unearned Premiums, \$5,025,507.00
All other Liabilities, 1,918,541.56
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 4,074,941.83
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$12,946,433.69

Admitted, \$12,946,433.69

THE HOME INSURANCE COMPANY
Chas. L. Tyner, Pres't.

Vincent P. Wyatt, Sec'y.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928
Stocks and Bonds, \$62,020,018.00
Cash in Office and Bank, 10,508,321.72
Agents' Balances, 1,918,541.56
Interest and Rents, 687,030.00
All other Assets, 691,976.00

Gross Assets, \$102,797,291.58

Admitted, \$102,797,291.58

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928
Net Unpaid Losses, \$620,445.00
Unearned Premiums, \$5,025,507.00
All other Liabilities, 1,918,541.56
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 29,816,779.43
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$102,797,291.58

Admitted, \$102,797,291.58

U. S. BRANCH, SUN INSURANCE OFFICE, LTD.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928
Stocks and Bonds, \$6,729,038.15
Cash in Office and Bank, 691,178.39
Agents' Balances, 979,050.00
Interest and Rents, 72,101.37
All other Assets, 62,296.07

Gross Assets, \$8,340,293.20

Deduct items not admitted, 53,898.62

Admitted, \$8,340,293.20

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928
Net Unpaid Losses, \$690,031.00
Unearned Premiums, \$6,011,786.00
All other Liabilities, 259,233.70
Statutory Deposit, 400,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 2,356,954.47
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$8,340,293.20

Admitted, \$8,340,293.20

The Home Agency, Rumford, Maine 61

CITY OF NEW YORK INSURANCE COMPANY

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928.

Mortgage Loans, \$66,500.00
Stocks and Bonds, 5,720,982.00
Cash in Office and Bank, 866,018.29
Agents' Balances, 445,028.80
Bills Receivable, 631.10
Interest and Rents, 42,980.00
All other Assets, 82,411.00

Gross Assets, \$7,244,958.19

Deduct items not admitted, 17,382.90

Admitted, \$7,227,575.29

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928
Net Unpaid Losses, \$14,011.00
Unearned Premiums, 2,898,042.00
All other Liabilities, 301,499.37
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 2,542,632.92
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$7,227,575.29

Admitted, \$7,227,575.29

CALEDONIAN INSURANCE COMPANY
of Edinburgh, Scotland

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928
Stocks and Bonds, \$5,817,692.00
Cash in Office and Bank, 227,872.17
Agents' Balances, 602,818.76
Interest and Rents, 42,910.59
All other Assets, 7,301.69

Gross Assets, \$4,788,684.21

Deduct items not admitted, 169,726.53

Admitted, \$4,618,957.68

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928
Net Unpaid Losses, \$281,609.03
Unearned Premiums, 2,728,800.46
All other Liabilities, 143,456.63
Cash Capital (Statutory Deposit), 200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,340,388.57
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$4,618,957.68

Admitted, \$4,618,957.68

CALEDONIAN-AMERICAN INS. CO. OF NEW YORK

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928
Stocks and Bonds, \$1,007,450.00
Cash in Office and Bank, 37,248.54
Agents' Balances, 88,497.74
Interest and Rents, 11,915.51
All other Assets, 9,158.45

Gross Assets, \$1,154,071.23

Deduct items not admitted, 8,596.83

Admitted, \$1,145,474.22

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928
Net Unpaid Losses, 24,181.72
Unearned Premiums, 377,210.72
All other Liabilities, 200,000.00
Cash Capital, 518,050.10
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$1,145,474.22

Admitted, \$1,145,474.22

BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE COMPANY
Toronto, Canada

New York Office 110 William Street New York City

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928
Stocks and Bonds, \$3,307,402.97
Cash in Office and Bank, 550,284.06
Agents' Balances, 261,513.92
Interest and Rents, 14,242.28

Gross Assets, \$3,903,503.23

Deduct items not admitted, 217.27

Admitted, \$3,903,285.96

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928
Net Unpaid Losses, \$288,784.00
Unearned Premiums, 1,784,276.74
All other Liabilities, 100,015.51
Cash Capital, 200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,401,215.63
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$3,903,285.96

Admitted, \$3,903,285.96

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A storewide sale. Every department participates

—And we quote a few of the hundreds of values to give you an idea of the opportunities the sale affords

Our Anniversary is justly famous as the year's most important sale event in Northern New England. First, because it is store wide in scope; bringing an almost unlimited variety of selection at exceptional savings. Second, because it is a sale of our own stocks entirely; therefore of merchandise that is exactly the same as that we sell throughout the year. Third, because it comes right at a time when everyone is ready to buy new things to wear and for the home. Fourth, because the values and savings are so unusually attractive. The Anniversary sale is an expression of our appreciation for the business that has made possible our new store. And we believe that the best way of showing our appreciation to our old friends and of winning new customers is to hold an eight day Anniversary Sale at this time featuring very liberal price reductions.

Our entire stock of women's Spring coats

reduced in price as follows:

All our Spring coats that are reg. \$25	\$20.00
All our Spring coats that are reg. \$35	\$30.00
All our Spring coats that are reg. \$39.50	\$32.50
All our Spring coats that are reg. \$49.50	\$42.50
All our Spring coats that are reg. \$59.50	\$50.00
All our Spring coats that are reg. \$75	\$65.00

\$95 coats at \$85; \$125 to \$175 coats are reduced \$20 in price for the Anniversary

Our entire stocks of new dressy and sport coats in sizes 11 to 19 for junior misses, in sizes 16 to 20 for misses and in sizes 36 to 52 for women are included in the sale. Also all our costumes and misses' suits at the above reductions.

Our entire stocks of Spring dresses

reduced in price as follows:

All our Spring dresses that are regularly \$10	\$7.95
All our Spring dresses that are regularly \$15	\$12.50
All our Spring dresses that are regularly \$25	\$20.00
All our Spring dresses that are regularly \$35	\$30.00
All our Spring dresses that are regularly \$39.50	\$32.50
All our Spring dresses that are reg. \$49.50	\$42.50

\$59.50 dresses \$50; \$69.50 dresses \$62.50 \$75 dresses \$65; \$85 dresses \$75

Our entire stocks of new printed silk dresses, navy georgettes, silk dresses in high shades, evening dresses, lightweight wool dresses and knitted sport dresses are included. Sizes 11 to 19 for junior misses; 16 to 20 for misses; 36 to 52 for women.

A few of the many values for the home

62 Double Dutch cottage sets, excellent value curtains in white with small figures in green and yellow, black and gold, or red and blue. 12 piece sets \$1.38 set

\$9 fine felt net curtains in light cream color. Tailored or furged style \$3.95 pr.

\$2.50 fringed net curtains in three attractive new patterns. Each color \$1.95 pr.

50c cottons in smart new colors and designs for Spring. Printed crash included 38c

75c cottons including new styles for men rooms, evening slippers, printed crash 50c

\$1.95 fast color rayon drapery damask in attractive color combinations \$1.65 yd.

\$50 seamless axminster rug in 9x12 ft. size and in new colors and designs \$45

Our \$125 seamless Wilton rug in 9x12 ft. size, in beautiful Oriental designs \$105

\$5 part wool plaid blankets, extra large size 72x84 inches. In all colors \$4.25 pr.

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\$1.50 rayon bed spreads in double bed size and pleasing patterns. In rose, blue, gold, green or black. Each set at \$2.95

10 patterns in our open stock chamberware at a saving of 20%. Sale prices range from \$17.20 to \$86.60 for 100 pieces. Single pieces at proportionate prices.

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1000 men's \$2 shirts at \$1.55

Our Eagle and other good makes of shirts in neckband, collar attached and collar to match styles. White broadcloth shirts, and shirts in stripes or figures. Sizes 14-17.

Our entire stock of \$2.95 leather gloves \$2.48. Bacio washable cape with novelty cuffs; French lambskin with two tone cuffs and Bacio slip-ons of washable cape.

Our \$1.95 all silk washable flat crepe \$1.55

Fine quality, heavy weight, all silk washable flat crepe in all the new light colors for Spring. A silk that washes perfectly. Our \$1.95 printed crepe de chine at \$1.65 yard.

Our \$2.95 printed all silk crepe de chine \$2.45. Fine quality all silk printed crepe de chine in a complete range of new designs and colors. 40 inches wide.

All our 98c printed piques at 78c yd. Printed linens and piques in smart colors and designs for dresses and ensembles.

All our 29c English prints at 23c. Fine quality prints for aprons, summer dresses and children's wear. Over a hundred patterns.

Children's \$1.98 wash dresses at \$1.68

Attractive, well made dresses in new prints and stripes. Many with hand embroidery. Ages 2 to 10 with bloomers. Ages 12 to 14 without bloomers.

Women's \$2.98 slip-on sweaters at \$2.48

Made of soft zephyr yarns in attractive plain colors or with rayon stripes. Crew or V neck style. \$2.98 flannel skirts special at \$2.48.

Women's \$5 leatherette raincoats \$3.85

Raincoats of machine weight material with buttoned front and flap pockets. Belt all around. Navy, black, brown, green, red.

Our \$1.95 washable cotton smocks \$1.68

Attractive for business office or home wear. Made of printed cotton in smart designs. Long-sleeved buttoned.

\$1.98 Bob Evans' Hoover dresses at \$1.68

The famous Bob Evans dresses perfectly tailored and guaranteed to give you a smart look. In white, lavender, rose, green or blue.

All our \$5 handbags at \$3.95

Handbags in the newest leathers and colors and in a wide range of new Spring styles.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1929

The duty of citizens to support the laws of the land is equal with the duty of their Government to enforce the laws which exist—President Hoover.

CHANDLER HILL

Frank Hodgkins has finished his work in Hanover and is working at Bean's saw mill.

Year Bean had the misfortune to cut his finger very badly at the mill. While pouring some oil on the bearings from a tin can, the pulley bit the can in such a way as to drive it into the flesh and lay it bare to the bone on one finger.

Leonard Vashow was able to return to the mill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Year Bean and Alfred Hodgkins were at Locke's Mills Saturday night.

Our roads are beginning to be quite muddy although the frost has just started to come out.

Lewis Etheridge has gone to Whitefield, N. H.

There always will be fires due to carelessness or lack of foresight, but when all buildings are so constructed as to retard the spread of flames before

The TOWN DOCTOR

(The Doctor of Towns)

SAYS

NO TOWN EVER LOST A CUSTOMER FROM BEING TOO CLEAN

Calvin Coolidge, addressing The American Federation of Arts and The American Association of Music, said, "If clothes make the man, and certainly good dress gives one a sense of self-respect and poise, how much more is it true that clean, beautiful surroundings lend a moral tone to a community?" And added, "We are gradually getting rid of the oppressive ugliness of our communities."

Oppressive ugliness: a good house next to a shack; a beautiful lawn with a vacant lot overgrown with weeds adjacent; unsightly outbuildings; highway entrances cluttered up with nondescript, claytrap, unpainted and otherwise obnoxious billboards; store signs of every sort, shape and description protruding at all sorts of angles from store buildings—some high, some low—all derogatory to any sense of attractiveness; poorly kept streets, open dumps, unpainted buildings, a dilapidated square, the can alleys, visible pollution of streams, and ugliest and most oppressive of all—a citizenship with an inferiority complex, one devoid of civic pride.

Oppressive ugliness is that which makes residents of a community say, "Oh, you won't mind that after you've lived here awhile"; and the absence of which makes a stranger say, "I like this place."

Oppressive ugliness is that which creates atmosphere. How often have you gone into communities or mercantile establishments and given as a reason for not being sold on the place that there is no "atmosphere?"

Atmosphere is that which invites or repels; atmosphere is the making or losing of sales, prestige and good will.

Oppressive ugliness relates materially to appearance. How does your town look to a customer? Eighty percent of those things purchased today are sold through, or influenced by the eye. Therefore, how your town or community looks is important.

This is the season of the year when everything oppressive should be annihilated. Nature is ready to help make things attractive. Start now to help take your town or community to a good old-fashioned house cleaning; clean it up—scrub it up—dress it up—and keep it up.

Include yourself in the cleaning; get rid of the mental cobwebs that make everything about your place of abode so commonplace. Rid yourself of the superstition and prejudice that your town cannot be as modern, attractive and interesting as any city anywhere.

Like life, your town or community is what you and the rest of the people like you work to make it. It is just as big or just as little as the people in it.

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This Town Doctor Article, one of a series of fifty-two is published by The Citizen in cooperation with the Bethel Lions Club.

The fire department arrives, the problem of fire safety will, to a large extent, be solved.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BETHEL NATIONAL BANK

of Bethel, in the State of Maine, at the close of business on March 27, 1929

RESOURCES

1. Loans and discounts,	\$135,101.49
2. Overdrafts,	64.13
3. United States Government securities owned,	27,400.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned,	97,502.20
5. Furniture and fixtures,	1,420.00
6. Real estate owned other than banking house,	2,250.00
7. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank,	15,732.00
8. Cash and due from banks,	27,100.75
9. Outside checks and other cash items,	118.50
10. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer,	500.00
Total,	\$307,489.10

LIABILITIES

11. Capital stock paid in,	\$25,000.00
12. Surplus,	25,000.00
13. Undivided profits—net,	42,487.44
14. Circulating notes outstanding,	9,800.00
15. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding,	7.50
16. Demand deposits,	205,104.23
Total,	\$307,489.10

STATE OF MAINE, COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

I, Ellery C. Park, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of March, 1929.

HENRY H. HASTINGS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

CLARENCE K. FOX, FRANK E. HANSCOM, ELIPHALET E. WHITNEY, Directors.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs. E. M. Carter and family have returned home after spending the winter at the village.

Carey Stevens is busy making maple syrup.

Ernest Hancock from the dormitory is spending the spring vacation at Mrs. E. M. Carter's.

Harold Bartlett and family are moving into the Ellis Annis house.

Carey Stevens and crew are sawing wood for Charles Capen.

Augustus Carter has work at Bethel Inn.

Walter Balentine has a nice flock of spring chickens.

Mrs. Leslie Davis is still very ill.

Alma Swan is caring for her.

MAINE REPRESENTED BY POPULAR OUTDOOR MAGAZINE

The attractive features of outdoor life in Maine and the unlimited possibilities in almost every line of sport offered by this state and Eastern Canada are now being presented to the sportsmen by Maine Recreation, a new Outdoor Publication devoted entirely to these sections.

Maine Recreation has been one of the attractions at many large outdoor and sportsmen's shows the past winter where it was received with favorable comment. In the six months of its existence it has gained a splendid circulation until it now reaches sportsmen in all portions of the United States, Eastern Canada and the Canal Zone.

The magazine is a credit to the recreational and educational development of Maine, and helps fill the gap in the failing publicity program. Each month it contains short stories and articles on Maine outdoor life which are supported by seven well handled regular departments covering the subjects of Travel, Camping, Woodcraft, Trapping, Where-to-go, Guns and Ammunition and Angling. It also includes current fish and game, a guides Directory and several club exchanges.

MICKIE SAYS—

"THIS MAY NOT BE THE LARGEST TOWN IN THE LAND, BUT A LOT OF PEOPLE LIVE HERE, AND THEY ALL SPEND MONEY, AND THEY ALL READ THIS NEWSPAPER—SO IF YOU WANT SOME OF THIS MONEY, ADVERTISE IN OUR COLUMNS"



Monthly contributors are well known outdoor writers including Chief Red Eagle, Stanley Foss Bartlett, Manley McDonald, Lieut. Berry, Alice M. Harvey and others. Maine Recreation is published in Corinna, Maine, which is centrally located for the handling of Maine Outdoor News.

Topsam will purchase special fire apparatus in near future.

FITTING RATION

for fitting cows or growing young stock. The best mixture on the market.

BETHEL AMCO SERVICE STORE
Railroad Street

Dr. Elmer I. Whitney

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

Office over Rowe's Store

Bethel

Phone 122

Wednesdays and Thursdays

Make Appointments with H. O. Rowe

ELECTROL

What Does It Mean

The oil heating system that has economy of operation and service behind it.

H. Alton Bacon

Bryants Pond, Maine

For Particulars and Price

AVOL

Thousands of prescriptions for this remarkable formula were filled by druggists last year, over 20,000 physicians, dentists and welfare nurses recommended and endorse AVOL as a harmless, safe, rapid relief for pain, depression, fever, cold, flu, etc. Contains No Aspirin or Other Heart Depressants.

Headaches! Colds! Neuralgia! Dental Pain!

Fred S. Brown

DRY GOODS GARMENTS KITCHENWARE
NORWAY, MAINE

SOMETHING NEW

SMART STYLES, at moderate prices, is an outstanding feature of our coats, dresses, hats, gloves and stockings. Our stock is large enough to show you a good variety in your size.

THE NEW COATS offer three distinct types—tailored styles, no fur, long fluffy fur collars, and the new short flat fur, that fits as if made of fabric.

THE SPORT COATS, in some splendid all wool mixtures—many ombre, or two tone effects. Some shade of tan is most popular. Price \$14.95, \$16.50 and up to \$24.75.

MORE DRESSY COATS, but real serviceable are the plain twilled fabrics—Navy, tan shades, black and green are the leading shades. Many have the short fur trimmings in grey, tan and brown. Smart collar effects. Prices \$19.50, \$24.75 up to \$49.50.

THE NEW DRESSES. These becoming styles offer a variety to suit every figure and age. Prints and plain colors. Ensembles are very much wanted this spring by the woman who keeps up with the late styles.

Junior size, misses' size, women's size and half sizes—no two alike, priced only

\$10.00

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Your Choice Of Any 5 Magazines and This Newspaper For ONLY \$2.75

Don't pass up this unheard of bargain. Enlarge your family—add a wide variety of high class magazines—all at a price to fit your pocketbook. Don't fail to take advantage of this money-saving opportunity. No need to wait as renewals will be extended from date of present expiration. But don't delay—this is a limited offer that may be withdrawn at any time. Better send your order TODAY—before you forget it.

Send Me Back Today!

All subscriptions are for a full year. Customers I wish to take advantage of your Magazine Bargain Offer, I am enclosing the above amount in payment for a one year subscription to your paper and the FIVE Magazines I have marked with an X below.

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NORTH WOODSTOCK

Francis and Everett Cole are in the sapping business and report a good run. They are making some fine syrup.

John and Lillie Hemmingsway are at Herman Polled's to play cards, Saturday evening.

Phon Brown is suffering from a felon on his finger.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at Herman Cole's, Thursday evening when he was given a birthday surprise party. Around thirty neighbors and friends were there to make merry. Part of the company played cards and the rest indulged in games and listened to the victrola, banjo and organ music. After while the young ones and some of the young old ones played games and sang. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. Iva Jordan called on Eva Feller Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Clara Goodwin and daughter, Muriel, of Milton were also there.

MRS. MINNIE SWAN CUSHMAN: Mrs. Minnie Swan Cushman, widow of the late Hannas Cushman, passed away Saturday night after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Cushman has been in a critical condition for several weeks but has been a patient sufferer.

The deceased is survived by one son George Cushman, who resides in the old home place and seven grandchildren, also a brother, Ned Swan of Bryant Pond and Florida. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at the Bryant Pond Church at Bryant Pond.

Adequate, dependable railroad service is of vastly more importance to industry than slight rate reductions, the cumulative effects of which seriously impair railroads' ability to furnish satisfactory service.

Are You Run Down, Weak, Nervous?

To have plenty of firm flesh and the ability to do a big day's work and feel "like a two-year old" at night, you must eat three good meals a day, relish your food and properly digest it. If you can't eat, can't sleep, can't work, just take a teaspoonful of Tanlac before meals.

Mr. Benjamin Pratt, Federal Post Road, Brunswick, Me., says: "I was 30 lbs. underweight and had lost all energy and vitality. After 6 bottles of Tanlac I gained 30 lbs. and feel like a schoolboy. My appetite is ravenous and I never suffer from indigestion."

Tanlac is wonderful for indigestion and constipation—gas, pains, nausea, dizziness and headaches. It brings back lost appetite, helps you digest your food, and gain strength and weight. It contains no mineral drugs; it is made of roots, barks and herbs, nature's own medicines for the sick. The cost is less than 2 cents a dose. Get a bottle from your druggist. Your money back if it doesn't help.

Tanlac

32 MILLION BOTTLES USED

The Only Difference is PAINT

The only difference between a dull home and a bright one is paint. The only safeguard between property preservation and costly rot and decay is paint. In short, good paint saves money so far as your property and pocketbook are concerned, and

Wetherill's Atlas Paint

is the finest kind of floor and porch paint for inside or outside use. It gives a fine, smooth, tough, finish that will stand severe use or abuse. And a painted floor is easier to clean and keep clean.

Wetherill's Floor and Deck Enamel

is a house paint beyond comparison. It may be used inside or outside and carries a bona fide guarantee of satisfaction printed plainly on the label.

J. P. BUTTS Hardware Store

BETHEL, MAINE

County News

CAMDEN FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION

Camden, N. J.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928

Real Estate, \$255,000.00
Mortgage Loans, 1,091,752.50
Stocks and Bonds, 10,150,849.75
Cash in Office and Bank, 475,083.38
Agents' Balances, 882,032.10
Bills Receivable, 1,815.11
Interest and Rents, 80,794.43
All other Assets, 7,932.50

Gross Assets, \$13,520,459.77

Deduct items not admitted, 17,882.02

Admitted, \$13,502,577.75

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928

Net Unpaid Losses, \$707,840.70

Unearned Premiums, 5,620,040.92

All other Liabilities, 800,457.40

Cash Capital, 2,000,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, \$4,122,238.73

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$13,502,577.75

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GENERAL ACCIDENT FIRE & LIFE ASSURANCE CO., LTD.

Fourth & Walnut Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928

Real Estate, \$1,025,000.00
Mortgage Loans, 21,300.00
Stocks and Bonds, 16,191,315.50
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,254,011.53
Agents' Balances, 4,108,753.50
Interest and Rents, 171,088.52
All other Assets, 42,970.03

Gross Assets, \$22,815,243.54

Deduct items not admitted, 365,051.16

Admitted, \$22,450,192.38

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928

Net Unpaid Losses, \$9,850,714.39

Unearned Premiums, 7,992,700.55

Including Voluntary Reserve, 300,000.00

All other Liabilities, 1,822,930.60

Cash Capital, 500,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 3,183,851.54

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$22,450,192.38

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FIRE ASSOCIATION OF PHILADELPHIA

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928

Real Estate, \$1,181,580.37
Mortgage Loans, 3,009,334.16
Stocks and Bonds, 3,001,400.00
Cash in Office and Bank, 18,520,751.41
Agents' Balances, 2,299,626.30
Interest and Rents, 1,751,216.70
All other Assets, 286,592.60

Gross Assets, \$31,378,980.61

Deduct items not admitted, 60,370.54

Admitted, \$31,318,610.07

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928

Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,433,000.20

Unearned Premiums, 11,073,665.32

All other Liabilities, 1,423,325.16

Cash Capital, 5,000,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, \$11,868,319.89

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$31,318,610.07

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FIREMEN'S INSURANCE COMPANY

Newark, N. J.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928

Real Estate, \$3,200,000.00
Mortgage Loans, 1,015,525.00
Stocks and Bonds, 40,500,019.25
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,626,515.49
Agents' Balances, 2,468,019.43
Interest and Rents, 34,179.93
Bills Receivable, 316,387.25
All other Assets, 131,500.00

Gross Assets, \$56,552,000.04

Deduct items not admitted, 187,235.01

Admitted, \$56,364,765.03

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928

Net Unpaid Losses, \$2,401,074.13

Unearned Premiums, 15,815,000.46

All other Liabilities, 1,545,475.25

Cash Capital, 15,000,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, \$23,603,125.44

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$56,364,765.03

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THE CONNECTICUT FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

of Hartford, Conn.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928

Real Estate, \$30,372.09
Mortgage Loans, 461,300.00
Stocks and Bonds, 12,911,041.00
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,326,206.40
Agents' Balances, 1,177,251.51
Bills Receivable, 40,043.32
Interest and Rents, 161,290.24
All other Assets, 74,111.69

Gross Assets, \$19,191,312.15

Deduct items not admitted, 94,013.13

Admitted Assets, \$19,097,299.02

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928

Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,007,490.51

Unearned Premiums, 7,636,733.73

All other Liabilities, 1,259,537.43

Cash Capital, 2,000,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 7,199,568.36

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$19,097,299.02

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THE CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY

80 Maiden Lane, New York

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928

Real Estate, \$1,761,928.81
Mortgage Loans, 12,500.00
Stocks and Bonds, \$1,460,294.29
Cash in Office and Bank, 3,329,186.44
Agents' Balances, 3,290,283.73
Bills Receivable, 807,801.40
Interest and Rents, 389,266.71

Gross Assets, \$91,043,366.58

Deduct items not admitted, 247,886.47

Admitted, \$90,795,480.11

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928

Net Unpaid Losses, \$2,949,665.89

Unearned Premiums, 27,063,129.74

All other Liabilities, 6,533,094.80

Cash Capital, 15,000,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 37,199,650.28

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$90,795,480.11

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STUART W. GOODWIN, Agent

Norway, Maine

SOUTH WATERFORD

Harold Kimball has been doing interior decorations in his home this past week. Lillian, his sister, has been tending to the store during his absence.

Wednesday evening Mr. Townsend and Mr. Wentworth conducted a very interesting Lenten service at the home of W. K. Hamlin. The topic, "What does the Cross mean to me?" A good discussion by the members as well as the ministers.

Charles Kimball began work this past week and is fast on the road to recovery.

Will Abbott was in Lovell on Thursday to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Esther Marston. His cousin, Mrs. Annie Hazell of North Waterford, went with him. The traveling was had so they went with a horse. Mrs. Hazell spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Ida A. Holden.

Arthur Kingman has been doing interior work on the Wheeler house at the Flat this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Rogers left for Norridgewock the latter part of the week.

Little Ruth Haynes and her grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Haynes have been ill with intestinal flu this past week. Both are better.

Bertha Kimball and Dorothy Holden are enjoying a ten days vacation from their studies at Bridgton Academy.

Good reports are heard of Frank Parker in Cumberland Mills, who has been ill so long. His friends will be glad to hear he is able to go out some.

Friday, March 22d, Twelve ladies met for sewing with Mrs. Marjorie Kingman. The usual odd amount of work was accomplished and a jolly crowd to do it. Friday, March 23d, thirteen ladies gathered at Mrs. Ida Holden's. The first quilt was tackled. Those not working on the quilt spent the afternoon on fancy work. Mrs. Flora Abbott was welcomed into our circle after many weeks of enforced absence. She is one of our jolliest members.

Honore Allen has finished work on Robbie Plummer's wood and is now at work on the big wood pile for Mrs. A. A. Monroe.

Easter morning dawned bright and clear. The services at the church were in charge of Rev. Townsend. He gave a fine sermon on "Immortality" to a large congregation. The flowers and potted plants were beautiful and much credit is due the various ladies of the community. The cut flowers came from Mrs. Alfreda Abbott and Bear M. Community Club. The beautiful Easter lily was loaned by Mrs. Abbott.

Edna and Ethel Kimball have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Mason, this past week.

Bertha Kimball had her class pictures taken in Norway this past week. She is in the graduating class at Bridgton Academy at June.

Friday evening Mrs. Ben Collins entertained the ladies of bridge. Most of the ladies are beginners, nevertheless a pretty evening was spent. Dorothy Holden led the highest score.

Mrs. Ida Riggs is visiting her niece, Mrs. Marie Jewett, in South Portland.

Mrs. Louise Smith of Portland is ill. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Harold Gardner is doing the milking for the Yokes during Martin Rogers' absence.

Edna Monroe's uncle, E. T. Davis of South Portland, Mass., who has been traveling abroad, is critically ill in Alameda Hospital, in a hospital. How had a serious operation. His son and wife are with him. Mr. Davis has fished in this lake many times.

Mrs. E. K. Kigore is gaining and is able to be up some.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Abbott were recent supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard at the Flat.

Charles Nelson has recently had a batch of 500 chicks.

MASON

Mrs. Marion Merrill called on Mrs. Lydia Westcott one day recently. Mrs. Westcott, who is 76 years old, has made nearly a dozen hand drawn rugs during the winter.

Mrs. Victor Eagle spent the week end at his home in Hanover.

Emerson Clough of Bethel was last week's guest of his sister, Mrs. Guy Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Merrill and children spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Robert Clough, at Bethel. Miss Marie Clough returned with them for a week's visit.

Paul Glover was home from Bethel the week end.

Walter Glover was the guest of his father, Paul, at Bethel Friday night.

Winifred Rolfe of Albany is working for Myron Merrill. Mr. Merrill has several men helping him cut pulp and saw wood.

E. T. Smith has 500 day old chicks, from the Dyer farm at Norway.

Myron Merrill bought a nice Guernsey Leifer of Edmund Smith recently.

HANOVER

Easter services were held at the Hall, Sunday afternoon, with exercises by the Sunday School, followed by the Easter sermon by Rev. Mr. Edwards.

Mrs. C. F. Saunders was the guest last week of relatives in Poland and Westbrook.

The C. A. A. held a whist party at the Hall, Friday evening, having 11 tables. A. R. Saunders and Una Stearns received first prize, Carl Stowe and Miss Colcord, consolation.

Mrs. G. C. Barker and daughter, May, left Friday morning for a trip to Boston and vicinity.

Mrs. Alice Staples is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holt are at Indian Rock Camps for the season.

Greenwood Eaton of Stephens High and Addison Saunders from Gould are at home for the Easter vacation.

Winston Brown stuck a hick hook in his leg one day last week requiring surgical attendance.

Street lights are being installed this week; these were made possible by the large amount realized from the drama, "Aunt Jerusha on the Way," which was put on last week; nearly a hundred dollars being netted from the supper and play, \$75 being appropriated by the town.

Addison C. Saunders is the guest of Daniel Wight at his home in Augusta.

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Arthur Wilson, who has been spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Bennett and family, returned to her home in Shelburne Sunday.

P. L. Bean is confined to his home with illness.

E. B. Mason resumed his work at Morrill-Adams Co. mill, Monday.

Gilman Hutchinson and Henry West were in Norway, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hutchinson and Sylvia Grover were in Norway, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles McInnis, who has been spending several days in Portland, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Evander Whitman was the guest of her parents in Norway, Sunday.

Mrs. Estella Goodridge spent Sunday with Mrs. F. O. Robertson in Bethel.

Francis Mills returned to Boston Sunday after spending the Easter vacation with his mother, Mrs. Emma Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Westcott spent the week end in Norway, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Anderson.

Mrs. G. D. Morrill received a shower of Easter post cards.

Miss Helen Harris spent the week end in West Paris.

Gerald Chasling is spending his vacation from Bates College in Bethel.

Mrs. Ida Kenerson returned to her home in Portland, Friday.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Abbott of Portland will be sure to hear that they are both ill with scarlet fever.

UPTON

Miss McCurdy of White Plains, N. Y. is keeping house for S. F. Prader.

Howard Douglass and Doris Stone are home from Gould Academy for the Easter vacation.

Leola McLeod and family of Rangeley, who have been in town a few days in account of his father's illness, have returned home.

Mrs. Philip Andrews is at the home of her brother, J. H. McLeod for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richard are spending a few days with relatives in Bethel and vicinity.

The C. E. Society held a beautiful Easter service here, Sunday morning. It was well attended, these being 37 present. There were also the regular services at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30, which were well attended.

Fore Street, Oxford

A. D. Cummings lost one of his work horses recently.

The old covered bridge has been newly planked and new stretchers put in. A much needed repair.

Spring house cleaning has sure hit the neighborhood. Some have their houses all cleaned, others have just begun.

Bert Dwinall, the paper hanger, is the busy man these days.

Mrs. Al Twitchell entertained the Adventist Mission Circle last Tuesday. Aprons were the work of that day.

Mrs. Flora Cummings attended the Norway Congregational Church last Sunday (Easter Sunday) and took dinner with Philip Stone and mother. They brought her home in the afternoon.

Alvin Lovejoy has had his telephone connected once more so now he will be ready to take orders for his hot house plants.

Mrs. A. D. Cummings and daughter, with little Miss Hilda Henery, were at Augusta Saturday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Doris Henery.

Stanley Wells of Oxford visited with Oscar Twitchell from Saturday until Sunday going with Oscar to the apothecary Saturday making syrup.

Christina Twitchell is now going to her work at Norway in her car.

NEWRY CORNER

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hastings and Miss Fannie Hastings were Sunday callers at the home of H. S. Hastings.

Mrs. Doris Richardson is gaining rapidly from her recent operation at the C. M. G. Hospital.

Mrs. Grace Arsenault and Marion learned called on Mrs. Corbett one day week.

John Deegan of West Greenwood moved a load of goods for Fred Tibbatts to the home of Calvin Cummings last week.

Chester Chapman is working at Hanover.

Maurice Brooks is visiting his grandparents for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sanborn have moved into the W. H. Griffin rent at Bethel. Mr. Sanborn has employment at the N. S. Stowell mill.

Ralph Richardson was in Lewiston Tuesday of last week.

N. S. Godwin was in town, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tibbatts and family are soon to move out to the home he father, Calvin Cummings in Albany for awhile.

More Davis went on to his early morning schedule, April 1st.

Clarence Eason was in town Monday.

Miss Mae Briggs of West Paris was a week end guest of Mrs. Carl Richardson.

Samuel Moore has returned home from Norway after spending several months with his son, William Moore.

Miss Beta Wheeler was a recent guest of friends in Bethel.

Allen Cole of Gorham, was a guest of H. L. Watson, Sunday.

WISE BEES SAVE HONEY,

WISE FOLKS SAVE MONEY

Thrift is the basis of all prosperity.
Bank part of this week's pay.
Who intends to save ought to begin early.
Thrift is common sense applied to spending.

BETHEL SAVINGS BANK

BETHEL, MAINE



---and she's "off o' him" for life!--

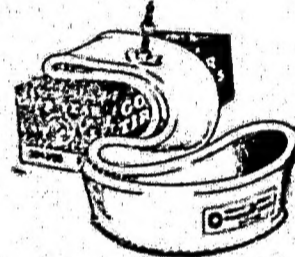
A Guy who'd use old, patched-up tubes to save a few nickles!

He'd been expecting tire trouble. His tires had been acting awfully lately. A sure sign of old tubes. Then, on the way to the dance, the blowout! Ruined the evening, too. The new tire will cost him more than if he'd put in new tubes all around a month ago.

Lowest Prices Ever
—on Guaranteed

GOODYEAR

Water Tested TUBES



SPECIAL---Pathfinder Tubes

30 x 3 1-2 \$1.25 All sizes at new low prices 29 x 4.40 \$1.95

More People Ride On Goodyear Tubes

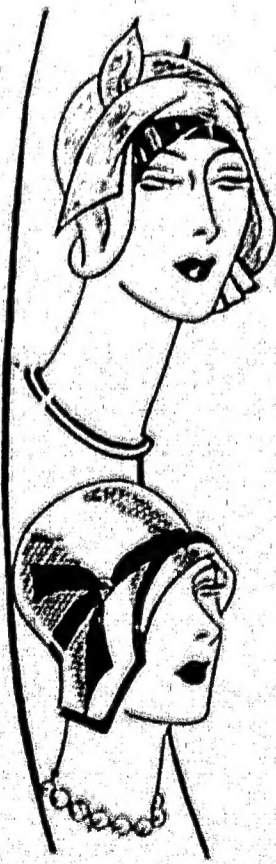
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J. B. CHAPMAN, Prop.

BETHEL,

MAINE

An Unusual Display of CHIC MILLINERY



Piquant hats in a variety large enough for you to select a hat of just the exclusive individuality that will emphasize and complement the particular charm of your personality.

Do come and see these hats . . they will surprise you by their vivacity, color and variety, and the modest prices are sure to please.



Convenient

Yes

Safe

Yes

Desirable

Decidedly so

\$50 starts a checking account in

THE BETHEL NATIONAL BANK
Bethel, Maine

L. M. STEARNS

UNITED STATES CASUALTY COMPANY, New York City, New York

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Mortgage Loans	\$1,164,400.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$941,000.00
Cash in Office and Bank	\$99,645.38
The Workmen's Compensation Reinsurance Bureau	\$9,058.68
Agents' Balances	\$6,274.00
Premiums in course of collection	1,040,709.57
Interest and Rents	145,597.84
All other Assets	18,999.47
Gross Assets	\$13,323,000.94
Deduct items not admitted	7,474.00
Admitted	\$13,315,526.94

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Special reserve for unpaid liabilities and workmen's compensation losses	\$5,913,894.00
Net Unpaid Losses	\$70,115.22
Unearned Premiums	\$4,013,502.69
Voluntarily reserved	\$50,000.00
All other Liabilities	\$29,490.51
Cash Capital	1,500,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$2,332,214.52
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$13,315,526.94

MECHANICAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Philadelphia, Pa.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Real Estate	\$90,000.00
Mortgage Loans	\$3,400.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$3,020,047.75
Cash in Office and Bank	\$45,907.31
Agents' Balances	\$30,149.09
Bills Receivable	\$4,401.42
Interest and Rents	\$4,482.13
All other Assets	12,240.44
Gross Assets	\$4,022,828.74
Deduct items not admitted	\$1,271.34
Admitted	\$4,881,357.40

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$310,052.91
Unearned Premiums	\$2,391,178.21
All other Liabilities	\$2,182.82
Cash Capital	\$600,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,510,043.06
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$4,881,357.40

MILL OWNERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO., Des Moines, Iowa

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Real Estate	\$452,864.59
Mortgage Loans	\$12,056.61
Collateral Loans	\$2,845.08
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,311,440.00
Cash in Office and Bank	\$102,425.08
Agents' Balances	\$231,379.70
Interest and Rents	\$109,862.05
All other Assets	\$5,563.00
Gross Assets	\$2,813,336.25
Deduct items not admitted	\$20,838.31
Admitted	\$2,832,474.91

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$84,010.00
Unearned Premiums	\$1,222,562.69
All other Liabilities	\$175,986.44
Cash Capital	\$1,335,922.75
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,335,922.75
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$2,832,474.91

NATIONAL BEN FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Real Estate	\$217,380.40
Mortgage Loans	\$1,124,233.79
Stocks and Bonds	\$2,070,533.70
Cash in Office and Bank	\$48,000.00
Agents' Balances	\$445,034.83
Bills Receivable	\$5,982.72
Interest and Rents	\$3,779.80
All other Assets	\$8,835.12
Gross Assets	\$5,075,800.03
Deduct items not admitted	\$4,759.74
Admitted	\$5,071,040.29

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$310,052.91
Unearned Premiums	\$2,120,247.87
All other Liabilities	\$6,234.12
Cash Capital	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,714,209.94
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$5,071,040.43

THE TRAVELERS INSURANCE COMPANY, Hartford, Connecticut

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Real Estate	\$175,847.20
Mortgage Loans	\$1,124,233.79
Stocks and Bonds	\$2,070,533.70
Cash in Office and Bank	\$48,000.00
Agents' Balances	\$445,034.83
Bills Receivable	\$5,982.72
Interest and Rents	\$3,779.80
All other Assets	\$8,835.12
Gross Assets	\$5,075,800.03
Deduct items not admitted	\$4,759.74
Admitted	\$5,071,040.29

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$310,052.91
Unearned Premiums	\$2,120,247.87
All other Liabilities	\$6,234.12
Cash Capital	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,714,209.94
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$5,071,040.43

BOSTON INSURANCE COMPANY, Boston, Massachusetts

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Real Estate	\$217,380.40
Mortgage Loans	\$1,124,233.79
Stocks and Bonds	\$2,070,533.70
Cash in Office and Bank	\$48,000.00
Agents' Balances	\$445,034.83
Bills Receivable	\$5,982.72
Interest and Rents	\$3,779.80
All other Assets	\$8,835.12
Gross Assets	\$5,075,800.03
Deduct items not admitted	\$4,759.74
Admitted	\$5,071,040.29

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$310,052.91
Unearned Premiums	\$2,120,247.87
All other Liabilities	\$6,234.12
Cash Capital	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,714,209.94
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$5,071,040.43

OLD COLONY INSURANCE COMPANY, Boston, Massachusetts

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Mortgage Loans	\$8,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$201,214.00
Cash in Office and Bank	\$10,076.25
Agents' Balances	\$37,089.59
Bills Receivable	\$6,003.37
Interest and Rents	\$5,133.18
All other Assets	\$14,230.72
Gross Assets	\$8,840,822.00
Deduct items not admitted	\$15,936.80
Admitted	\$8,824,885.20

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$402,967.24
Unearned Premiums	\$1,049,540.38
All other Liabilities	\$249,451.83
Cash Capital	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$5,222,925.78
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$8,824,885.23

PATRIOTIC INSURANCE COMPANY, New York City, New York

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,055,000.00
Cash in Office and Bank	\$114,807.42
Agents' Balances	\$174,764.54
Interest and Rents	\$14,000.18
All other Assets	\$5,908.34
Gross Assets	\$1,965,882.48
Deduct items not admitted	\$11,570.40
Admitted	\$1,954,312.08

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$804,003.00
Unearned Premiums	\$908,299.11
All other Liabilities	\$45,210.09
Cash Capital	\$200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$700,850.97
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$1,954,312.08

THE METROPOLITAN CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY of New York, New York

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Real Estate	\$192,126.23
Mortgage Loans	\$2,107,925.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,763,533.00
Cash in Office and Bank	\$1,152,903.14
Agents' Balances	\$2,101,344.15
Interest and Rents	\$9,450.95
All other Assets	\$21,450.15
Gross Assets	\$15,992,528.35
Deduct items not admitted	\$40,519.65
Admitted	\$15,952,008.70

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$4,337,418.63
Unearned Premiums	\$4,716,908.81
All other Liabilities	\$1,200,784.07
Cash Capital	\$1,500,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$3,778,619.27
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$15,952,008.70

NORTH AMERICAN ACCIDENT INSURANCE CO., Chicago, Illinois

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Mortgage Loans	\$830,250.00
Collateral Loans	\$4,963.17
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,235,710.05
Cash in Office and Bank	\$1,200,784.07
Agents' Balances	\$1,333,541.00
Interest and Rents	\$24,841.99
All other Assets	\$33,895.51
Gross Assets	\$2,697,712.64
Deduct items not admitted	\$7,924.63
Admitted	\$2,689,788.01

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$330,000.00
Unearned Premiums	\$1,290,925.00
All other Liabilities	\$724,425.05
Cash Capital	\$400,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$339,334.83
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$2,689,788.01

THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, Newark, New Jersey

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Real Estate	\$29,401,584.00
Mortgage Loans	\$76,535,045.25
Collateral Loans	\$128,030,329.50
Stocks and Bonds	\$10,574,026.26
Cash in Office and Bank	\$14,107,726.12
Agents' Balances	\$1,918.04
Interest and Rents	\$9,060,813.00
All other Assets	\$2,651,003.71
Gross Assets	\$2,031,440,003.93
Deduct items not admitted	\$2,427,588.17
Admitted	\$2,028,912,415.76

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$10,437,076.99
Unearned Premiums	\$6,378,961.55
All other Liabilities	\$1,029,348,421.73
Cash Capital	\$2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,833,935.79
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$2,028,912,415.76

THE TRAVELERS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Hartford, Connecticut

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Mortgage Loans	\$193,750.07
Collateral Loans	\$1,411,076.51
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,105,290.83
Cash in Office and Bank	\$1,044,881.66
Agents' Balances	\$33,359.17
Interest and Rents	\$9,998.31
All other Assets	\$14,030,170.54
Gross Assets	\$14,812,467.08
Deduct items not admitted	\$1,812.47
Admitted	\$14,810,654.61

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,044,970.99
Unearned Premiums	\$8,948,171.62
All other Liabilities	\$1,092,845.28
Cash Capital	\$2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$2,140,919.07
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$14,810,654.61

PHOENIX MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Concord, N. H.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1928	
Real Estate	\$125,000.00
Mortgage Loans	\$1,044,881.66
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,105,290.83
Cash in Office and Bank	\$1,044,881.66
Agents' Balances	\$33,359.17
Interest and Rents	\$9,998.31
All other Assets	\$14,030,170.54
Gross Assets	\$14,812,467.08
Deduct items not admitted	\$1,812.47
Admitted	\$14,810,654.61

WEST PARIS

An Easter cantata was rendered in the Baptist church Sunday night at eight o'clock by the United Parish Choir and the young people and children of the Universalist church.

The program was:

INTRODUCTORY
Prelude, Organ
Hymn, Crown Him Lord of All.
The Palms, Solo and Chorus
Prayer, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes
We Magnify, We Praise Thee, Response by Choir
Responsive Reading
This is Easter Day,
Hymn by Class of Girls
Announcements and Offering

2. THE PASSION WEEK
The Gathering Gloom, Dialogue,
Seven Disciples
Be Thou Faithful Unto Death, Men's Chorus
The Lord's Supper, Reader
We'll Never, Never Forget, Reader
He Giveth It to Judas, Reader
They that Rise Against Me, Anthem, Choir

Gethsemane, Reader
The Joy that Was Set Before Him, Recitation
He Lives, Response by Choir
Worthy is the Lamb, Sentence by Choir
Thy Will be Done, Reader
Thy Will, Not My Will, Song by Choir
Before Pilate, Reader
He Was Despised, Sentence by Choir
They Crucify Him, Reader
Blessed Lamb of Calvary, Reader

Joseph Takes the Body, Reader
He Giveth His Beloved Sleep, Solo and Chorus
The Children's Tribute, Song exercise by children
Part 3, EASTER MORNING
At the Grave, Dialogue by Women at the Tomb
Weep Out Thy Sorrow, Recitation by Salome
He Lives Again, Greeting by Angel
The Master Lives Again, Anthem by Choir

1. Cor. 15, 20-26, Reader
Now is Christ Risen, Anthem by Choir
Rev. 7, 9-17, Reader
Palms of Victory, Solo and Chorus
Wave the Palms of Victory, Solo and Chorus
Victory Thro' Our Lord Jesus Christ, Reader
Response by Choir

Hallelujah, Chorus
Closing Prayer
Benediction
The church was beautifully decorated with green and white with white cross and Easter lilies, and pictures were shown depicting the scenes. It was a very beautiful and impressive service. A large audience was present.

Easter was observed in the Universalist church. In place of the usual sermon a story was read, interspersed with music in harmony with the reading.
The selections were as follows:
"His Eye is on the Sparrow"
"The Bird with the Broken Pinion"
"Open My Eyes and I Shall See"
"I Found a Friend"
"The Old Ragged Cross"
"God's Light Above the Clouds"
"Twas a Bluebird Told the Story"

One young man united with the church. A large audience was in attendance. Easter lilies and tulips adorned the altar.

The Happy Thought Group met at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes on Wednesday. This was the last meeting of the season. Eleven dresses have been made to send to Rev. Hanan J. Powell's work at Inman's Chapel, N. C.

On Thursday the W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Sadie Patch. The subject will be "Neal Dow."
Miss Earle Lattay and sons, Robert and Gordon, of South Paris were Sunday guests of her father, C. F. Barden.

Mr. T. White visited his wife at the M. C. Hospital, Sunday, and found her improving.
Mrs. Martha E. Hill is very low and expected to live but a short time. Raymond Han is slowly recovering from an attack of pneumonia at the home of Mrs. Mary Cole where he has been.

The remains of Chauncey Childs were brought here from Union last Monday for interment in the family burial lot. Mr. Childs was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harriet Childs and was the last of the family of children. He married Miss Esther Mixer of Paris, who died two years ago. A married daughter is the only near surviving relative.

The Musical Minstrels put on a fine show Wednesday evening. Orange Hall was packed to its utmost capacity, and many more came. Friday night they played at Bethel to a large audience. Tomorrow night they played at Oxford.

Mrs. Lillian A. Denney has opened her home after spending three months with Mrs. Addie Stone at Stearns Hill. The Denney Bros. have begun the manufacturing of clotheings in the factory formerly occupied by the Elingwood Turning Company.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes visited Miss Emma West at South Paris a few days this week.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

QUESTIONS

1. When will the special session of Congress be held?
2. In what year did the first Pan-American Congress meet?
3. What airplane landing field is preparing for giant planes that have not even been planned yet?
4. Who is the premier and dictator of Spain?
5. Who was the 16th president of the United States?
6. What reptile has a very poisonous bite?
7. Who was the 30th president of the United States?
8. From what metal are razor blades made?
9. What part of the whale does the whale-bone come from?
10. What drug is made from the poppy?
11. Where did the Christmas tree originate?
12. What "order" freed the slaves in the seceding states during the Civil War?

ANSWERS

1. George Washington.
2. Thomas A. Edison.
3. The battle between the "Monitor" and the "Merrimack."
4. At Wichita.
5. Wyandotte constitution.
6. Ambassador.
7. Leadstone.
8. 310 miles per hour.
9. Over six miles.
10. One hundred and six billion.
11. 186,000 miles per second.
12. France started it, but due to lack of money was forced to sell the cases to the United States.

Cyrus I. Wardwell is spending a vacation from Hebron Academy with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wardwell.

At the annual meeting of the First Universalist Parish held at Good Will Hall Tuesday evening of last week, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes who had served the church seven years, was given a unanimous invitation to remain with the parish another year.

Mrs. Herbert Ring of Bryant's Pond was a dinner guest Saturday of her brother, Lester Morgan and family, and a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ring.

Donald and Mae Briggs have been recent guests of their brother, Henry Briggs, and wife at Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter W. Gray left Thursday afternoon for Stamford, Conn. to visit their daughter, Agnes. They will also visit friends at Washington, D. C. and Mr. Gray's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pottingill, in Worcester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dunham and children spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Addie Campbell at South Paris. Mrs. Roy Perham is ill at the present time. Miss Anna Tamalainen of Greenwood is working for her.

Mrs. Small is ill with the grippe. Carl Dunham has been appointed constable for West Paris.

Walter and Fred Penley left for Portland Sunday and will go from there to Worcester, Mass., in company with their brother, Lester.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Inman spent a few days last week with their son, Walter Inman, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Verrill were in Norway and South Paris Sunday. Robert Penley of Bates College is spending the Easter vacation with his parents.

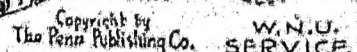
NORTH LOVELL

Willis McAllister has returned home after a few days visit in Norway.

O. A. Garcelon and son, Charles, are in New York for a few weeks. A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Adams on March 30.

Mrs. Guy Parker and Mr. Parker Flint are quite ill with measles. There are now cases every few days. Sylvia and Madelyn Bird are spending a few days in Albany.

By
George Marsh



"Dez and his—er! we stey. We go!" commanded Gaspard, his rifle lined on the black shape at the fire, his nervous forefinger playing with the trigger. Noiseless as the muffled light of the snowy owl was the retreat of the stalkers to the lake shore.

"De dog no good—scare of wolf!" granted Gaspard with contempt. "Flash and Yellow-Eye hunt us out quick!"

The Spruce Speaks

"Eef de Dog Smell Uc Now, Onlee de Cook Can Travel—de Oders Dry Dere Footgear."

whispered into Brock's ear: "Eef de dog smell us now, onlee de cook can travel—de others dry dere footgear."

But, notwithstanding, two 30-30's were lined through the muck on the figures in the yellow fog. Two boys, muscles tense, nerves strung like bow-strings, as they watched, listened with alert ears for the challenge of a suspicious husky awakened from his sleep by the warning from his nostrils of a strange scent in the air.

From somewhere outside the radius

"Don't shout—wait!" came the guttural command beside Brock's ear. Swiftly, the awakened dogs of the man lifted the forest with their yelps. Out the thicket of fir, fifty yards from the fire, vomited no double flash of exploding rifles.

"Eef de dog come alone," muttered Caspard to the tense muscled Brock, crouched, with elbow on knee, to steady his aim, "we tak dem wild de enemy. At de fire de tree are blind,"

Reaching behind him, Brock moved the sheath of his knife nearer his right side, his heart pounding under the

of action. He could hear the dogs thrashing around in the brush of the fire, snuffing at the unknown enemy, yet, for their fears, but not for the direction of the scent.

Still the Indians went on with the drying of their clothes, occasionally gliding to the dogs to keep quiet.

"De dog ra scare to leave de fire-- de wolf. Unlee de one smell us. He scare to come."

"We'd better get out," whispered Peck. "I won't let into that camp unless I have to."

An Indian rose and stood between the fire and those who watched, his silhouette as if cut from black leather. He called to the dogs:

"Go on, you! 'atch de wolf!"

Encouraged, the huskies bent about plunging through the deep snow into the wall of blackness, hurriedly to return.

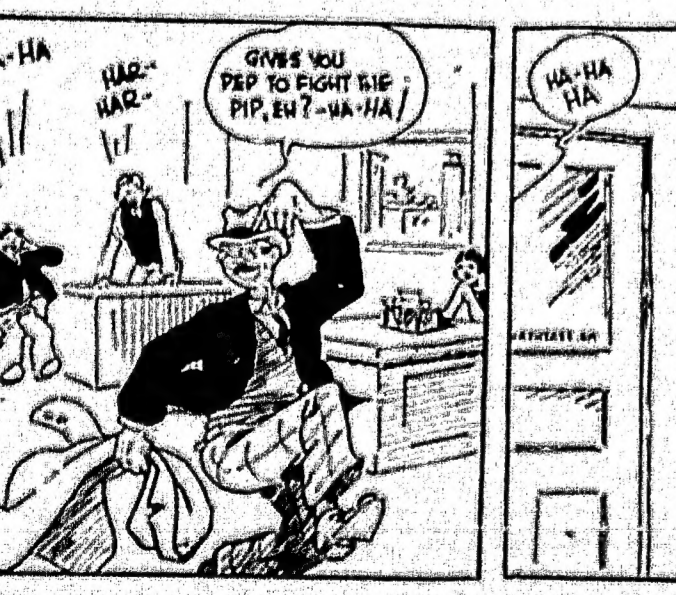
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Lost and Found

LOST—Three strand pearl necklace with a blue clasp, between post office and Skillington. Finder return to post office or Citizen office and receive reward.

LOST—A white gold wrist watch at Oxford Hall last Friday. Finder please return to Citizen office and receive reward.

To Let

TO LET—Three room tenement to family of adults. MRS. W. H. GRIPPIN, Bethel.

NORTH PARIS

The March meeting of the Women's division of the Farm Bureau was held at Community Hall, Tuesday, March 26th. Designing was the project work with Mrs. Elsie Bradeen, H. D. A., present. Several designs were worked out and six paper patterns made. The next meeting will be April 4th, when the dresses will be cut and made from these patterns. Miss Spaulding, state clothing specialist, will be present with Mrs. Bradeen and conduct the meeting. It is hoped there will be a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Floreston Pierce are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Sunday, March 31st. Mrs. Nelson Cole is caring for mother and baby.

Mrs. George Blake and son, Everett of Berlin, are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown. Many from here attended the Musical Minstrels at West Paris, Wednesday evening, regardless of the bad road. If I hoped they will repeat it for the benefit of those who couldn't go.

Edwin Trask went to Lynn, Mass. Friday, to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dunham.

Lee Abbott and friend of West Paris Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Trask and two grand children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Abbott, Sunday.

Miss Lucille Buck of West Paris was the week end guest of Mr. Inez Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Herick of West Paris spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gibbs.

Richard Curtis is working for Alfred Morrill in Sumner.

Hillia Hanta of West Bethel was the guest of Ivy Lowe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cotton and family of Lewiston, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ellingwood of Paris Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Gibbs, Sunday.

C. L. Morrill returned home Friday from his visit to Richmond and other places.

Fernald's Mill, Albany

Agnes Stanley spent the week end with Hilda Logan.

The Town House school opened Monday with Miss Sadie Murphy as teacher.

Will McAllister is carrying the school to the Town House school. Frank Stevens was in this vicinity Monday with his peddle cart.

Wanted

WANTED—Chance to do housework or nursing. IDA SPINNEY, c/o Bowser Susan, Bethel, Me.

WANTED—Dressmaking and Sewing to do. Call at my home or telephone. MRS. TRICE JAMES, Bethel, Me.

AGENTS—Anywhere in Maine to represent Maine Recreation. Correspondence and circulation workers. Big commissions. Write Maine Recreation Magazine, Gorham, Maine.

WANTED—Old books, magazines, tracts, Peterson's, and Graham's. Christian Science, in fact anything of interest. Look in that attic trunk. C. A. LEAVITT, 102 Exchange St., Portland, Maine.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

L. A. Edwards, Pastor
9:30 Church School. Miss Ida Packard, Superintendent.

10:45 Morning Worship. Last Sunday we had splendid congregations and our interest in Religion seemed to be much in evidence; but, sad to say, we often note that after Easter, our interest often wanes.

Why should this be true? Our need surely continues, and as our spiritual needs are in some measure supplied by the church, should we not, therefore, continue to drink from this fountain that the church endeavors to keep open.

The pastor's theme next Sunday morning will be "Scarecrows." The farmer never puts a scarecrow in an old barren pasture. A scarecrow indicates that there is something worth looking after in the field where it is displayed.

If there is luscious spiritual fruit in any field of this world, the devil has always surrounded it with scarecrows. Have we the courage to investigate? The comrades of the Way will meet at 7:00.

The Ladies' Club will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Garey.

METHODIST CHURCH

Our Church School meets Sunday morning 9:45.

Preaching Service 10:45. "The Man Whom the World Surrendered," will be the subject. This is the last Sunday of the Conference Year, and we hope for a large gathering. May God bless us all with a special blessing this coming Sabbath!

Epworth League meeting Sunday evening at 6:30, led by Miss Myrtle Wilson. The topic, "The Christian in Social Life," begins a series of discussions on the general theme, "Making Our Friendships Christian." The subject challenges us to some deep thinking and careful planning.

The monthly Business Meeting of the Epworth League will be held at the church Thursday, April 4, at 7:30 P. M. This is the annual election of officers. Surprise feature after the meeting.

Watch for notices and posters with regard to the observance of Recreation Week and look forward to the best time you ever had.

Regular Sunday evening service 7:30. The topic will be "Attending to His Words."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Chapman Street
Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject of the lesson sermon, Unreality. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 P. M.

SONGO POND

William Gorman, who has spent the past three months in Berlin, N. H., is spending a few days in Albany with his old friends, Abner Kimball and family.

Mrs. Dorothea Law is the guest of Mrs. George Brown.

Lee Mills is working for L. N. Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morrill and two children were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clough.

Mrs. Alta Meserve and two children of Lovell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Becker for a few days last week.

The Town House school opened Monday with the same teacher, Miss Murphy. She is boarding at W. L. Becker's. Toby Barker, who is working at A. B. Kimball's was a caller at Will McAllister's Sunday.

Abner Kimball has a goose which recently laid an egg measuring 8 1/2 by 11 inches and weighing 11 ounces.

Born

In North Paris, March 31, to the wife of Floreston Pierce, a daughter.

In North Lovell, March 30, to the wife of John Adams, a son.

In East Saco, March 27, to the wife of Henry Trumbull, a daughter.

In Bethel, March 30, to the wife of Kenneth Wright, a daughter.

In South Paris, March 29, to the wife of Rupert F. Abrie, a daughter.

In South Paris, March 27, to the wife of Byron H. M. Woods, a son.

Married

In North Waterford, March 14, to Rev. W. J. Hall, Betramel Rogers and Miss Peggy Wallbridge.

In Mexico, March 16, Joseph Foster and Margaret Quint, both of Norway.

In Lewiston, March 25, Kenneth Reese and Ethel M. Bryant, both of Maine.

Died

In North Waterford, March 30, Mrs. Maria Fushman, wife of Hanna Cushman, aged 65 years.

In North Paris, Dorcas Knight, formerly of Bethel, aged 78 years.

In Norway, March 29, Harry Lane.

In Rumford, March 30, Mrs. Carl Thurston, aged 60 years.

In West Lovell, March 10, Mrs. Alexander Laroque.

In Oxford, March 23, Lorenzo Bennett Jones, aged 50 years.

In Lewiston, March 24, Miss Mary E. Barker, formerly of Paris, aged 80 years.

WEST GREENWOOD

William Harrington of Portland is spending his vacation with his aunts. Roe Cumming has finished work at John Deegan's and returned home.

Mrs. McCarthy of Taunton, has returned home after spending a few weeks with her uncle.

John Deegan has moved a truck load of furniture for Fred Tibbets of Hanover to Cal Cummings in Albany.

Mary Martin of Greenwood Center returned to her school Monday.

Ruth Cole returned home last week. Rodney Cross on Howe Hill is working in the mill at Greenwood Center and boarding at Dan Cole's.

Paul Oroteau has moved from Albany to this vicinity.

Everett Cross spent Sunday at Bethel.

Quite a number of the children on Howe Hill were vaccinated by the State doctor.

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